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FOR SALE AT
CITY JEWELRY STORE
NEAR POST OFFICE.

You never hear the bee complain
Nor hear a weep nor wail;
But if it wish it can unfold
A very painful tale.

Beautiful fall weather.

Uncle Tom's Cabin is coming. We cannot have everything pleasant.

Saturday's convention was one of the best the democrats of Barton county have ever held.

The A. O. U. W. lodge had a pleasant supper in their hall in this city, Tuesday evening.

Two men were arrested Tuesday, charged with "bootlegging," i. e., selling whiskey contrary to the "law."

The moon will soon be like the young man who attended a church fair with his best girl—on its last quarter.

Let's hold a grand, democratic rally, and get another good, soaking rain. The farmers need both in their business.

Boys, you can't get into the good graces of a pretty girl by watching her get out of a hammock. And yet—!

C. C. Reeder, of Clarence, sent us in Saturday a bunch consisting of 23 ears of fine, large popcorn, which grew from three grains planted.

The wife of the editor is down in Cowley county, among the peaches. She writes that she is getting what she can and canning what she gets.

The Heizerton creamery and cheese factory was started to running yesterday (Wednesday). We will have something to say about it next week.

Sunday night a small railroad bridge near Albert caught fire in some manner and was burned up, delaying all trains on the branch for 8 or 10 hours.

Three of our bright young men, Chas. V. Brinkman, C. Fred Diffenbacher, and Chas. Bosworth, have gone to Topeka to attend Washburn College.

A young blacksmith arrived at Dick Manning's, Saturday evening, and while Dick makes the anvil ring, the boy will keep up an accompaniment at the house.

Were the republican officials of Barton county anxious to close the "joins" about this time last fall? Echo answers, not by a jug and many barrels full.

The call for a prohib. county convention will be found in this paper. The DEMOCRAT reaches all the people of the county, and her columns contain matters of interest to all classes.

The Italian skies of these pleasant fall days vie in brightness with the satisfied smiles of farmers over the big crops, and the good county ticket the democrats have put in the field.

The Ellinwood Advocate got out a neat little, two-page supplement, last week, evidence of the growing enterprise and business prosperity of that paper, which we are glad to see.

F. W. Teten, the blacksmith and hardware man of Albert, called Tuesday and got his name among our paid up subscribers. He says there will be lots of wheat sown in that vicinity this fall.

We learn of a Mr. Hart, in the northeast part of this county, who had one piece of wheat this season, 7½ acres, that threshed 66 bushels to the acre. Now come in and beat the yield.

Will the republican fellows please take their little shower, which followed their convention of the 7th, and soak their heads in it. For a regular rain breeder, call on the democratic convention.

The band boys were out serenading the democratic nominees for county

offices. Clerk Jones, Register Strothman and Sheriff Wilson responded with cigars, and Treasurer Krause with a \$5 bill.

Will A. Rush returned from his trip to Milwaukee, Tuesday. His mother-in-law, Mrs. Stephen Sherwood, of Sterling, Ill., returned with him, to make a visit of a couple of months.

E. I. Cassidy, a prominent business man of Turners Falls, Mass., running a large paper mill there, is in the city this week on a visit with his old friend, C. N. Johnson. They drove up to Ft. Larned Wednesday.

Everything in nature indulges in amusements. The lightning plays, the wind whistles, thunder rolls, the snow flies, the waves leap, and the fields smile. Even the trees shoot and the rivers and streams run.

The sweet school girl is abroad in the land. Her eyes are bright, her cheeks ruddy, and from between her smiling lips come peals of merry laughter and witty repartees. Indeed Kansas is a wonderful state for wheat, corn, and kissable girls.

You will notice that the DEMOCRAT now has two local pages. We are bound to give our readers ALL the news. It is not any more trouble to get up a good local paper than a half-yearly affair with nothing but patent medicine advertisements.

D. G. Bird, of Clarence township, last week purchased a quarter section of Rev. J. W. Thompson, for \$2,000. Mr. Bird is one of the Barton county farmers who started at the foot of the ladder, but who has worked steadily on through all reverses, and always won.

Saturday evening as Miss Mary Saul and another young lady were driving in the southwest part of the city, the buggy they were in was accidentally overturned, and Miss Saul's arm was broken. Dr. Chester reduced the fracture, and the young lady will soon recover.

Rev. J. A. Bright, secretary of the State Sunday School Association, made a very interesting talk at the M. E. church Sunday night, to a packed house. He was pronounced by some a little too "thankful" in some directions, and spoiled the effect of what he said in the earlier part of his talk.

In Arkansas City recently they had a grand opening of a fine new hotel. As an adjunct to the feeding advantages of the house, a place where liquid refreshments can be had is conducted, and they do say that the city council requires a \$40 a month license from the said liquid annex. If prohibition prohibits, please tell us where!

Last week we added to our subscription list the following good names: S. E. Ruggles, Verbeck; C. B. Wonderlich and Peter Brock, Olmitz; D. R. Logan, Pawnee Rock; C. A. Williams, Ellinwood; C. M. Wantland, Hoisington; W. D. Brandt and Wm. Dunn, Great Bend; H. B. Hawthorn, Easton, Ill., and J. S. Howell, Milford, Me.

Let us see! About five months ago a new sidewalk was ordered put down, on the north side of Broadway, from Main street to the Morrison. From the present miserable state of the walk we would judge that it has never been built, and the city officials will have to let somebody tumble and break a leg before they will "tumble" to this sin of omission.

DIED—On Saturday, Sept. 14, 1889, Mrs. Sarah Jane Roberts, aged 49 years, 8 months and 17 days. She had been bedfast for the last three years. She came to Great Bend eight years ago, from Pennsylvania, and made her home with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Campbell, from whose home she was buried Monday afternoon, Rev. T. H. Ayars conducting the funeral services.

Chas. Beye brought us in a sample of peaches raised this year by A. G. Boetz on his farm in the east edge of Rush county. They were nicer than any we have seen that were shipped into this county, and the gentleman has an immense crop of them. Peaches can be raised all right here if properly protected from the north winds in winter and south winds in summer.

DIED—At the home of his brother, in the southwest part of this city, on Monday, Sept. 18, 1889, John Crow, aged about 24 years. He came here from Missouri about six weeks ago, for his health, being very low with consumption. His remains were shipped to his home in Missouri, on Monday evening. W. E. Crow, with a twin brother of the deceased, accompanied the remains.

A strapping young fellow, the son of an old soldier, who has worn out the seats of many pairs of pants "looking for a job," said, on the streets of Great Bend (where by the way he spends most of his time) that "The republican ticket will win, because it has the men who fight on its side." Lord! Lord! How wonderfully astute that young Bob-a-link is! To hear his mouth toot one would think he was "one of the men who fit."

There is one fire hydrant which the city is paying \$50 a year for the use of that has never been placed, and lies idly in a store room in the city. Councilman Cornell and others of our city officials have suggested that this hydrant be located in the center of the park, and sufficient piping laid from it to the two ends of the park to enable the park to be properly watered. There is no use trying to get a blue grass sod started there until some provision is made to water it, and we believe the plan suggested is an excellent one, and one that should be acted upon by the council. It has also been suggested that one of the drinking fountains, which is now located where it is of no earthly use, be also placed in the park where it would be both useful and ornamental.

Normal Notes.
Reunion Saturday eve.
About one dozen new students this week.

The new exercise in Grammar will soon be out and any one wishing a copy can get it by writing our president.
Prof. Wright tells us that two young people from the city are to begin doing work in elocution in a couple of weeks.

The girls tell us, "We girls wish leap year would come every other year instead of only once in four?" What's the matter with the fair sex now?

Rev. Briggs' class in vocalization meets at 8:30 in the morning and from the noise it makes we certainly can assure our readers it is doing good work.

The political economy class, that meets in the eve just after supper, reports, though few in numbers the members are doing good work and would be pleased to see any visitors who are interested in this work.

The class in Zoology spends two lessons each week in experiments. Yesterday they were looking at a particle of blood and some members report seeing things unthought of before. The new instrument multiplies 1000 diameters.

Prof. Wright was away last Saturday. His classes were taught by the other teachers. Some of the students did not understand where he went and reported that he had gone to get married. That is a mistake, as the Prof. informed us that he is still a single boy.

School Notes.
High School opened with forty-one students. The Philomathian Association held its first meeting Friday, Sept. 13. The following officers were elected: President, Edward Buckland; Vice-President, Jennie Strobel; Secretary, Ola Brinkman; Treasurer, Willie Reece.

A program for next Friday was arranged as follows:
Recitation—Jennie Strobel.
Essay—Kittie Ostermeyer.
Selection—Archie Reece.
Vocal Duet—Allie Hosack and Mae Woodburn.

Debate—A. L. Edward Buckland; Neg, Charlie Zutafern.
Recitation—Jesse Clement.
Trio—Lillie Brinkman, Pauline Willner and Lois Reece.
Selection—Ola Brinkman.
Recitation—Nettie Turner.

Essay—Frank Fry.
Instrumental Music—Bertha Frey.
Recitation—Marie Wallace.
Full attendance in all the rooms. All seem ready for work. Prof. Reece was busy all last week with examinations.

Church Notices.
The Presbyterian service and Sabbath School of the Presbyterian church will be held in one of the Hulme-Willner rooms, opposite the school house, until the repairs on the church are completed. All other meetings will be held in the lecture room, as usual.
D. TURNER, Pres. Board of Trustees.

DELINQUENT TAX LIST,
For the Year 1888.

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE, BARTON CO. KAN.
NOTICE is hereby given that I will sell at public auction at my office in the court house in the city of Great Bend, on

TUESDAY, THE 22nd DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1889,
commencing at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing from day to day until the sale is completed, of so much of each tract of land or city or town lots included in the following list as may be necessary to pay the taxes and charges thereon for the year 1888.

L. M. KRAUSE, County Treasurer.

UNION TOWNSHIP.			
NAME AND DESCRIPTION.	ACRES.	TAX.	AM'T.
U. P. R. Co. sec. 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.	1000	10	10

WHEATLAND TOWNSHIP.

NAME AND DESCRIPTION.	ACRES.	TAX.	AM'T.
Frederick Mueser & Co. sec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.	1000	10	10

GRANT TOWNSHIP.

NAME AND DESCRIPTION.	ACRES.	TAX.	AM'T.
F. Sushy & Co. sec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.	1000	10	10

HOMESTEAD TOWNSHIP.

NAME AND DESCRIPTION.	ACRES.	TAX.	AM'T.
C. L. Jones & Co. sec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.	1000	10	10

CHRYSTEN TOWNSHIP.

NAME AND DESCRIPTION.	ACRES.	TAX.	AM'T.
H. Under & Co. sec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.	1000	10	10

WALNUT TOWNSHIP.

NAME AND DESCRIPTION.	ACRES.	TAX.	AM'T.
S. M. Horine & Co. sec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.	1000	10	10

CLARENCE TOWNSHIP.

NAME AND DESCRIPTION.	ACRES.	TAX.	AM'T.
K. Keller & Co. sec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.	1000	10	10

GREAT BEND TOWNSHIP.

NAME AND DESCRIPTION.	ACRES.	TAX.	AM'T.
S. A. Gump & Co. sec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.	1000	10	10

Great Bend City.

NAME	LOT	BLK.	AM'T.
A. J. Buckland	10	40	0.40
E. Edwards	2	41	0.20
R. Foote	3	41	0.20
C. C. Lewis	5	41	0.20
W. R. Dodge	6	41	0.20
J. H. Bennett	1	43	0.20
A. V. T. CO. ADDITION.			
McIntyre, Allison & Young	1	44	0.10
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